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Celebrating Extraordinary Examples of Diversity and Outreach in Action @ America's Libraries



2009 Annual Diversity and Outreach Fair

ALA Annual Conference – Chicago, IL

Saturday, July 11, 2009

3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

The 2009 Diversity and Outreach Fair will focus on Older Adults and other innovative services to underserved communities including,

- Accessibility
 - ▶ Service to People with Disabilities
 - ▶ Access to Technology
 - ▶ Innovative Solutions to Accessibility Issues
 - ▶ Innovative Services to Homebound People
 - ▶ Innovative services to other underserved or underrepresented communities
- Mobile Library Services
- Library services to those who are:
 - ▶ Poor and homeless
 - ▶ People of color
 - ▶ English language learners
 - ▶ Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgendered
 - ▶ New Americans
 - ▶ New and non-readers and other literacy issues
 - ▶ Older adults
 - ▶ People living in rural areas
 - ▶ Incarcerated & ex-offenders

■ Other (e.g., professional development, community partnerships, or staff development and training) Librarians are invited to share their experiences and resources through a poster presentation and informal conversations with colleagues. Showcase your library's accomplishments and help inspire others interested in creating and sustaining literacy and outreach services at libraries across the country. Entry deadline is **Friday, April 17, 2009**.

Additional info and entry forms will be available online at **www.ala.org/divfair**.

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Prizes will be awarded in recognition of presentations that demonstrate visual appeal, creativity, and how programs and services impacted their local communities.

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